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## **DECLARATION**

Sir:

I, Lawrence Teague, in accordance with 37 C.F.R. § 1.821(f) do hereby declare that, to the best of my knowledge, the content of the paper entitled "Sequence Listing" and the computer readable copy contained within the floppy disk are the same.

I declare further that all statements made herein of my own knowledge are true and that all statements made on information and belief are believed to be true and further that these statements are made with the knowledge that willful false statements and the like so made are punishable by fine or imprisonment, or both, under Section 1001 of Title 18 of the United States Code and that such willful false statements may jeopardize the validity of the application or any patent issuing thereon.

Dated this 3<sup>rd</sup> day of December, 2001.

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As the below-named inventors, we declare that:

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DECLARATION AND POWER OF ATTORNEY

We believe we are the original, first and joint inventors of the invention entitled "COMPOUNDS AND METHODS FOR MODULATING NONCLASSICAL CADHERIN-MEDIATED FUNCTIONS," which is described and claimed in the specification and claims of C-I-P Application No. 09/187,859, which we filed in the United States Patent and Trademark Office on November 6, 1998, and for which a patent is sought; and that this application in part discloses and claims subject matter disclosed in our earlierfiled Application No. 09/073,040, entitled "COMPOUNDS AND METHODS FOR MODULATING OB-CADHERIN MEDIATED CELL ADHESION," which we filed in the United States Patent and Trademark Office on May 5, 1998.

We have reviewed and understand the contents of the above-entitled specification, including the claims, as amended by any amendment specifically referred to herein (if any).

We acknowledge our duty to disclose information of which we are aware which is material to the patentability and examination of this application in accordance with 37 C.F.R. § 1.56(a), including material information which occurred between the filing date of said earlier-filed application and the filing date of the C-I-P application.

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